HOUSEHOLD DATA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

A-7. Employed persons by class of worker and part-time status, seasonally adjusted

[In thousands]

Category	2010												2011
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
CLASS OF WORKER													
Agriculture and related industries	2,134	2,311	2,212	2,242	2,214	2,118	2,189	2,187	2,172	2,348	2,185	2,176	2,256
Wage and salary workers ¹	1,343	1,360	1,370	1,386	1,352	1,280	1,328	1,306	1,310	1,446	1,385	1,384	1,390
Self-employed workers, unincorporated	785	909	851	825	823	811	825	852	798	823	771	775	861
Nonagricultural industries	136,391	136,527	136,842	137,134	137,152	136,876	136,599	136,957	137,266	136,797	136,752	137,001	137,088
Wage and salary workers ¹	127,385	127,449	127,745	128,107	128,123	127,915	127,950	128,215	128,438	127,852	127,728	128,043	128,151
Private industries	106,129	106,093	106,515	106,720	106,902	106,823	106,989	107,709	107,451	107,100	107,146	107,303	107,409
Industries except private households	105,410	105,387	105,770	105,995	106,197	106,184	106,362	107,057	106,859	106,470	106,516	106,665	106,774
Government	21,265	21,281	21,250	21,403	21,221	21,177	20,928	20,564	20,855	20,717	20,600	20,759	20,740
Self-employed workers, unincorporated	8,991	8,995	8,937	8,892	8,928	8,865	8,780	8,715	8,752	8,862	8,832	8,783	8,864
PERSONS AT WORK PART TIME ²													
All industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,367	8,793	9,012	9,146	8,776	8,631	8,533	8,883	9,506	9,100	8,960	8,931	8,407
Slack work or business conditions	5,831	6,188	6,174	6,247	6,141	6,172	6,164	6,357	6,732	6,174	6,025	6,011	5,771
Could only find part-time work	2,271	2,174	2,351	2,492	2,299	2,123	2,301	2,379	2,478	2,564	2,557	2,568	2,510
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	18,521	18,326	18,334	18,035	17,977	17,963	18,219	18,566	18,256	18,230	18,326	18,184	17,929
Nonagricultural industries													
Part time for economic reasons ³	8,239	8,659	8,903	9,048	8,630	8,482	8,384	8,752	9,380	8,991	8,822	8,789	8,242
Slack work or business conditions	5,761	6,085	6,093	6,186	6,038	6,080	6,051	6,276	6,649	6,108	5,941	5,911	5,661
Could only find part-time work	2,286	2,169	2,378	2,480	2,282	2,098	2,235	2,347	2,454	2,534	2,555	2,542	2,513
Part time for noneconomic reasons ⁴	18,141	17,987	18,001	17,733	17,691	17,694	17,886	18,175	17,911	17,848	17,929	17,829	17,552

¹ Includes self-employed workers whose businesses are incorporated.

NOTE: Detail for the data shown in this table will not necessarily add to totals because of the independent seasonal adjustment of the various series. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.

² Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey reference week and excludes employed persons who were absent from their jobs for the entire week.

³ Refers to those who worked 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for an economic reason such as slack work or unfavorable business conditions, inability to find full-time work, or seasonal declines in demand.

⁴ Refers to persons who usually work part time for noneconomic reasons such as childcare problems, family or personal obligations, school or training, retirement or Social Security limits on earnings, and other reasons. This excludes persons who usually work full time but worked only 1 to 34 hours during the reference week for reasons such as vacations, holidays, illness, and bad weather.